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The Honorable Kathy A. Surratt-States

RE: Case No. 12-51502

THOMAS F. EAGLETON U.S. Court House

111 South 10th Street, 4th Floor

St. Louis, MO 63102

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U.S. BANKRUPTCY COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI

Dear Judge Surratt-States:

My name is Terry L. Cameron from West Virginia. I was a coal miner from 1973 - 1994, and worked for Peabody Coal Co.

I am writing in regard to your upcoming decision that will effect my life and the lives of thousands of miners and their families.

Throughout my time in the coal mines, I was always told I would have credit to grave health care for the work I performed. I never knew from day to day whether I would make it home safe, so the benefits I was promised made the job worth it.

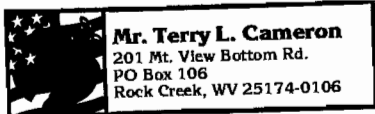
This decision you are to make concerns Patriot Coal Co, a company I never worked for, but was sold

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to, like men and women were once
sold as property. Your honor, I
worked for Peabody, not Patriot, and
I feel like Peabody is responsible for
my pension and health care.

Your honor, I still believe in
justice for people who do the right
things in life, like work and caring
for their family. To allow a huge
company to treat their workers like
they were property is wrong, and I
have faith you will make the right
decision for mine all over this country.

I am enclosing a book called
United we stand. It is about the
history of the UMWA, the struggles
of a Union to ensure that miners
had fair wages and benefits, and
a safe environment to work in.
This book means a lot to me, but I
am hoping to find true justice, you
must know how many died to preserve
our benefits.



Thank you,
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